Audience: CHANNEL PARTNERS Industry: FINANCIAL SERVICES

CASE STUDY

Proving rewards drive performance.

Learn how BI WORLDWIDE Canada (BIW) helped a leading point-of-sale financing provider to drive lift in dollars financed by introducing tangible rewards instead of cash incentives.

GoalQuest is the world's leading short-term sales incentive program that uses the impact of self-selected goals designed to drive productivity throughout the entire sales force.

Objectives: Drive lift in dollars financed and better manage the cost of dealer incentives using tangible rewards.

Solution

BIW designed and operated a 90-day sales incentive for 200 channel partners using GoalQuest's sales incentive structure. The core components of this program included:

- Self-selected goals: Dealer participants set their own goals by selecting one of *3 goal levels*. Awards for goal levels varied and were reflective of the goal.
- All-or-nothing achievement: The program mandated participants to select a target one goal to focus on. This increased accountability and motivation, giving participants a sense of being in control of their own sales performance.
- Segmented audience: The audience was segmented into 6 groups based on individual run rates from the same period of the prior year creating relevant personal goals that are both ambitious and attainable.
- **Communications:** Weekly progress emails were sent to participants to maintain awareness of their progress toward their goal.

Results

- **Goal selection:** 42% of participants selected the most aggressive goal, *goal level 3*, compared to GoalQuest's historical average of 41%*.
- Achievement: 47% of participants achieved *goal level 3* 5% above the enrollment estimate.
- Participants vs. control group: Participants who selected a goal delivered a sales lift of 49% over their baseline. Those who did not select a goal delivered a sales lift of 11% over their baseline.
- Incremental lift: 56% of the audience performed over their baseline.
- **Return on investment:** GoalQuest delivered a sales lift of \$57.3MM with a program ROI of 15:1.

Bottom Line:

This financial company worked with BIW to implement a dealer incentive program that delivered significant sales lift by using tangible rewards vs. cash incentives.

To learn more about BIW and GoalQuest, visit: **biworldwide.ca/goalquest** or email us at **canada@biworldwide.com**.

*based on historical benchmark data from 1,200 completed GoalQuest programs by 1,200,000+ participants as of January 2021

